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Secret of Japan's Success.
Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton of the British army wrote the evening after one of the great battles which he had witnessed between Russians and Japanese in the recent war in Manchuria: "To be! Although it is with reluctance that I prepare to lose my grip of the exciting consciousness that I have to-day seen the most stupendous spectacle that it is possible for mortal brain to conceive, Asia, advancing, Europe falling back; the wall of mist and the swirling thereof." Then as to the meaning of this retreat of Europe before advancing Asia: "The more I think the more certain I am that it was not strategy or tactics, or armament or information, which won the battle of Liangyang for Oyama, but that it was rather the souls of the Japanese troops which triumphed over the less developed, less awakened, less stimulated qualities of the Russians."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.
Were Treated at Dispensary—Did Not Improve—Suffered Five Months—Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the head and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The baby had had it about a week when the second boy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third boy took it. For the first three months I took them to the N— Dispensary, but they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 5 and 7, 1906."

Coldest European Winter.
In the year 1814 the Thames froze and the English channel was for a time impassable because of icebergs. The coldest European winter on record was that of 1708-1709. It began early in October. In 1740 also the cold was so intense that birds fell dead to the ground.

Starch, like everything else, is being constantly improved, the patent Starches put out on the market 25 years ago are very different and inferior to those of the present day. In the latest discovery—Defiance Starch—all injurious chemicals are omitted, while the addition of another ingredient, invented by us, gives to the Starch a strength and smoothness never approached by other brands.

Virtue is the first title of nobility.—E. C. Lefroy.

SCIATIC TORTURE

A Locomotive Engineer Tells How He Was Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Pain that seems almost unbearable is a characteristic of sciatic rheumatism. In some cases the pain is knife-like, sharp or shooting; in others it is dull and aching. Sciatica is stubborn in resisting treatment and the patient frequently suffers for years. This was the case with Mr. Herbert E. Spaulding, a locomotive engineer on the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway, whose home is at Longview, Texas.

"While running an engine some years ago," he says, "I fell off and hurt my knee and spine and I have always considered this to be the cause of my illness. The sciatica took hold of me from my heel to the back of my head. The pain was the worst I ever suffered in my life and my leg and back were twisted out of shape. I was under a physician's care for several months and for six months could not get out of bed. I also went to Hot Springs but came back in a worse condition than when I went."

"It was when I was down in bed that I heard of the case of a Mr. Allison, a much older man than myself, who had been cured of sciatica by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking the pills and soon was able to get out of bed. When I had taken six boxes I was able to work about the house and yard. I kept right on with the pills until I was cured and I have never had any return of the trouble. I have been running an engine ever since."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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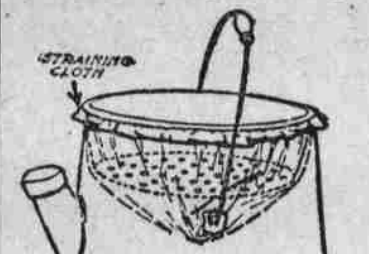


THE DAIRY

COVERED MILK PAIL.

New Shape Which Aids in Keeping, Dirt Out of Milk.

The milk pail shown in the illustration is something like an ordinary milk pail turned upside down—small end up. The top is seven inches in diameter. A shallow pan two inches deep fits tight in the top and is fastened there. A few holes one-sixteenth of an inch in diameter in the bottom of the pan near the center let the milk run through into the pail.



NEW STYLE MILKING PAIL.

The spout of the pail has a tight fitting cover. One or two thicknesses of strainer cloth are slipped under the pan before it is fastened in place, and the result is a dust and dirt-proof pail. There is no patent on this pail, says the Montreal Herald.

The milk strikes the bottom of the pan, runs through the holes in the pan, through the strainer cloth and into the pail, where it is practically sealed from the outside conditions. It comes in contact with the air of the barn only while it is passing from the teat to the pan—a distance of perhaps six inches.

IDEAL BARN FLOOR.

One Made of Cement Meets All Requirements.

I think an ideal floor for a cow to stand on is cement, writes an Ohio farmer. You can keep a stable floor dry if you use plenty of absorbents. I have been rash enough to say a man should use land plaster in his stable, but Prof. Ketch says-land plaster has no power to fix ammonia at all. Therefore, we must put on lots of bedding, and not allow it to remain under the cow until it is all matted down, and when we stir it up find mold in it; keep it working to the gutter and put on fresh. I have never found so good an absorbent as good, fresh horse manure scattered behind the cows each morning with road dust. It holds the ammonia, takes up all the liquids and keeps the cow reasonably clean. If a man is going to have a sanitary stable, he must put in hard work, and I would recommend a manure carrier, and to clean out the stable twice a day.

Dairy Points.

Oversour cream gives a sour and, of course, an abnormal taste to the butter. A dairy thermometer is quite inexpensive, and it is certainly a labor-saving device. Put a pint of fresh buttermilk into the cream jar as a starter, and your cream will ripen sooner. Get the cow that gives milk all the year round as far as possible. It is a great loss to dry up cows when it is not necessary. Don't sacrifice the good cows and the young growing stock. Give them the best care for another year—they will all be wanted. The small farm with the small herd is better than a large farm with a large herd, because the small farm will do more in proportion than the large one. A poor cow may even be made to pay her way by liberal feeding and it is equally true that a good cow may be made to lose money by niggardly treatment. It is far more satisfactory to have the cow in the first flow of milk in good condition, when the yield may be stimulated by sufficient food without reducing her flesh too much. Watering the milk in the cow is often the fact, as the quality of the milk is regulated by the food and milk may be deficient in solids without having water added to it by the dairymaid.

Care of the Separator.

In order to have the perfect motion of the separator bowl, the machine must be set level and be kept clean and well oiled. The oil should be thin or light, so it will not gum the wearing parts. A heavy oil will make the machine run hard and will gum quickly on small high-speed bearings. All the bearings of the machine should be frequently flushed with coal oil. It is well to make a run about once in two or three weeks, using coal oil on all the bearings. This keeps the parts free from gum and washes out grit or sand that may have blown into them. It is an excellent plan to have a cover of close-woven cloth or oil cloth, that can be kept over the machine while it is not in operation. This will keep out dust and will add materially to the lasting powers of the machine. The separator should be set upon a good solid floor, so that it will not move about as the operator turns the crank.—Prof. E. H. Webster.

Watch the Cow.

Keep a close watch on the cow near calving. There is no good excuse for frozen ears and tails. When you expect new arrivals be prepared for them. A warm, bedded box-stall in the barn is the best place for such occasions.

TIGER COMES ON SHIPBOARD.

Furnished Entertainment for Crew Until Animal Was Killed.
To be attacked by a tiger was the thrilling experience of the crew of the Norwegian steamship Thorsdal, which arrived at Philadelphia recently, while that vessel was at Tampico, Mexico. After a terrible fight with the animal it was killed, and its skin is now on board the Thorsdal.

It was midnight when the anchor watch saw appearing over the rail the two bright eyes of the huge animal. The man ran to the mate's room and informed him what he had seen. The mate concluded the man had been drinking, and when he ordered him back to his post the seaman rushed into the room of Capt. Malmson, master of the ship. The captain came on deck and saw the tiger. He summoned all hands, and, armed with revolvers, they made an attack on the infuriated animal and killed it. Had it not been for the fact that the tiger got caught between an improvised hatch it probably would have killed several of the crew. When imprisoned in this position five of the men began firing bullets into the animal's head.

The country about Tampico is infested with wild animals, and it is thought the tiger was crossing the stream when it came against the side of the Thorsdal. It came up the ladder, which was lowered over the side.

The animal was an unusually large one and handsomely marked.

TACK THIS UP.

Simple Advice Which May Prove of Untold Value.

At the first sign of Backache or pain in the region of the Kidneys, or weakness and Urinary trouble, the following simple prescription should be used: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Karsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Any good prescription pharmacy will supply these three ingredients at small cost, which can easily be mixed by shaking well in a bottle. This is said to force the Kidneys to filter the acids and poisons from the blood, overcoming the worst cases of Rheumatism.

THE ARTISTIC WALL.

One of Solid Color Will Always Give Best Effect.

The dearest, daintiest, most artistic wall is a solid colored wall. It furnishes a perfect background for all kinds of pictures, it throws them out in their correct proportions, and does not detract from their artistic value. The solid colored wall is also much better as a background for furniture, and harmonizes much more artistically with carpets and rugs than any other method of wall treatment. The less breaking up of color on a wall the more artistic it is.

The most successful form of the solid colored wall is an alabaster wall. There is as much difference between tinted walls, as there is between shoddy and all-wool gowns. The shoddy gown holds its color for a few days, while the all-wool keeps its color to the very last thread, so also in solid colored walls, there are shoddy walls and permanently colored walls which retain their color down to the very last particle. The ideal wall coating never rubs off, never flakes nor chips off and is always ready for a fresh coat. If there is wallpaper on the wall, soak it off with warm water, then go over the plaster after you have removed the paper with warm water to remove every trace of paste. Have the wall thoroughly clean for a clean foundation. If there are any particles of foreign matter adhering to the wall scrape them off with a putty knife. Then if there are any discolorations on the wall, size it with a material made from cheap varnish, thinned down with benzine and Japan added for a drier, then cover your wall with your tinting material.

Be sure your man uses a tinting material mixed with cold water. If he comes to you and asks for warm water, you can make up your mind that there is glue in the material which he proposes to put on your wall, and you can be certain that you are going to have a shoddy wall, for glue means shoddy. Glue means that it will hold its color long enough for the man to collect his bill and not much longer. Insist on your tinting material being mixed with clear, cold water. Be sure that your wall is made from pure materials, then you will have a permanent, artistic, sanitary wall. A wall that will be a "thing of beauty and a joy forever."

FOOLED THE PREACHER.

A Doctor's Brother Thought Postum Was Coffee.

A wise doctor found out coffee was hurting him, so he quit drinking it. He was so busy with his practice, however, that his wife had to write how he fooled his brother, a clergyman, one day at dinner. She says: "Doctor found coffee was injuring him and decided to give Postum a trial, and we have used it now for four years, with continued benefit. In fact, he is now free from the long train of ills that follow coffee drinking."

"To show how successful we are in making Postum properly I will relate an incident. At a dinner we gave, Doctor suggested we serve Postum instead of ordinary coffee. "Doctor's brother, a Clergyman, supposed it was old fashioned coffee and remarked, as he called for his second cup: 'If you do preach against coffee, I see you haven't forgotten how to make it.'"

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WOMEN IN HOSPITALS

Experiences of Mrs. Rockwood and Miss Tierney



MISS MARGARET TIERNEY

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